

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH**  
**ABSTRACT**

Prisons Department – Downgrading of (25) posts of Deputy Jailors to that of Chief Head Warders – Orders – Issued.

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HOME (PRISONS) DEPARTMENT

G.O.MS.NO.239

Dated:23-10-2013.

Read the following:-

1. G.O.Ms.No.147 Finance (SMPC) Department, dated 09-06-2006.
2. From the Director General of Prisons & Correctional Services, A.P., Hyderabad, Letter No.Estt/NG.2/205/2013, dated 01-06-2013 & 05-08-2013.

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**ORDER:**

In the reference 2<sup>nd</sup> read above, the Director General of Prisons & Correctional Services, A.P., Hyderabad has stated that Guarding Staff of Prisons Department consists of (3) cadres viz., Warders, Head Warders and Chief Head Warders (including Female Warders and Female Head Warders). All the employees of these cadres require to perform duties round the clock and their duties are risky in nature. The major grievance of the guarding staff of Prisons Department is that they are subjected to more risk than their counterparts in the Police Department because they live in the midst of dangerous criminals, but their promotional avenues are not commensurate with their job nor are they on par with their counterparts in the Police Department.

2. He has further stated that as per the Model Prison Manual the ratio shall be for every (25) Warders, (5) Head Warders and (1) Chief Head Warder are to be provided in the ratio of 25:5:1. At present the cadre strength of Warders is 2199. Hence (90) Chief Head Warder posts are required to maintain uniformity among guarding staff. However, there are only (54) Chief Head Warder posts available in the Central Prisons and in only (8) District Jails.

3. The Director General of Prisons & Correctional Services, A.P., Hyderabad requested to downgrade the (25) posts of Deputy Jailors to that of (25) posts of Chief Head Warders, so as to create more promotional avenues for the lower cadres of the guarding staff, i.e. Warders and Head Warders. This proposal does not involve any additional financial burden on the Government exchequer and there is a net savings of Rs.25.14 lakhs.

4. Government, after careful examination of the matter, hereby downgrade the (25) posts of Deputy Jailors as mentioned at Annexure – I to that of (25) posts of Chief Head Warders in the institutions as mentioned in Annexure – II.

5. The Director General of Prisons & Correctional Services, A.P., Hyderabad shall take further action accordingly in the matter.

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6. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance (SMPC.II) Department vide their U.O.No.022947/270/A2/SMPC.II/13, dated 28-08-2013.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To  
The Director General of Prisons & Correctional Services, A.P., Hyderabad.  
The Director of Treasuries & Accounts, A.P., Hyderabad.  
The Pay and Accounts Officer, Hyderabad.  
The Finance (Exp.H&L) / (SMPC) Department.  
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SECTION OFFICER

(P.T.O. for annexure I & II)

Annexure – I to G.O.Ms.No.239, dated.23-10-2013

Sl.No.	Down grading of (25) posts of Deputy Jailors at the following Sub Jails as sanctioned vide G.O.Ms.No.147, Finance (SMPC) Department, dated 09-06-2006.
1	Sub-Jail, Miryalaguda
2	Sub-Jail, Suryapet
3	Sub-Jail, Kovvur
4	Sub-Jail, Madhira
5	Sub-Jail, Tadipatri
6	Sub-Jail, Penugonda
7	Sub-Jail, Hindupuram
8	Sub-Jail, Kadiri
9	Sub-Jail, Dharmavaram
10	Sub-Jail, Srikalahasthi
11	Sub-Jail, Puttur
12	Sub-Jail, Piler
13	Sub-Jail, Valmikipuram
14	Sub-Jail, Satyavedu
15	Sub-Jail, Darsi
16	Sub-Jail, Podili
17	Sub-Jail, Atmakur
18	Sub-Jail, Kavali
19	Sub-Jail, Venkatagiri
20	Sub-Jail, Bapatla
21	Sub-Jail, Tenali
22	Sub-Jail, Repalle
23	Sub-Jail, Sattenapalli
24	Sub-Jail, Tadepalligudem
25	Sub-Jail, Chintalapudi

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Annexure – II to G.O.Ms.No.239, dated.23 -10-2013

<b>Chief Head Warder Posts in the following Institutions</b>	<b>No.of Posts</b>
Central Prison, Cherlapally	3
Central Prison, Rajahmundry	3
Central Prison, Hyderabad	3
Central Prison, Kadapa	3
Central Prison, Nellore	2
Central Prison, Visakhapatnam	2
District Jail, Nalgonda	1
District Jail, Mahaboobnagar	1
District Jail, Karimnagar	1
District Jail, Sanga Reddy	1
District Jail, Guntur	1
District Jail, Vijayawada	1
District Jail, Anantapur	1
Sub Jail, Mahabubabad	1
Sub Jail, Vizianagaram	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>25</b>

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